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- b. ☐ Copy from prior application (37CFR 1.63(d))  
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- i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting  
Inventor(s) named in the prior application,  
see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
4. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 3b is checked)  
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

5. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documentation)  
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6. ☐ Letter under 37 CFR 1.41(c).
7. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
8. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
9. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
10. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
11. ☒ Small Entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 is claimed
12. ☐ Statement filed in prior application,  
Status still proper and desired
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**CONTENTS:**

**Our Case No.: HOB-P-04-001**

**Patent application for: REBER**

**Entitled: "A SYSTEM AND A METHOD FOR LOCATING AN ITEM OFFERED FOR SALE BY A MERCHANT"**

**ENCLOSED:**

1. Patent Application Transmittal (in duplicate)
2. Specification (29 pages) (including one page abstract)
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